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General Lafayette's Watch.

It is doubtless within the recollection of many in this city that in the year 1824 General Lafayette made a tour of this country, attended by such an ovation as offered perhaps the grandest spectacle of a nation's tribute to a hero the world has ever seen. During his tour, while on a visit to some town in the State of Tennessee, the General was mysteriously robbed of his watch, a valued souvenir, which had been presented to him (in 1781) by General George Washington to commemorate at once the affectionate relations which had long existed between them, and his gallant services at the siege of Yorktown, the crowning event in the struggle for American independence. Directly upon the robbery becoming known most strenuous efforts were made for its recovery, but, despite the fact that the Governor of Tennessee offered a reward of one thousand dollars for its return, not the slightest trace of it was thereafter obtained, and General Lafayette was eventually compelled to return to France. resigned to the thought that the precious gift of his dear friend was lost to him forever.

The years passed on, and with their lapse men's recollection of the circumstance faded away. Lafayette died in 1834, and for a space of forty-eight years the stolen watch bore an unknown history. At the end of that time, but a few days ago, a gentleman residing in this city, while visiting Louisville, attended an auction sale at a junk shop, where, strange to relate, he found among the articles offered a watch which, upon examination, he discovered to be the long lost watch of Lafayette.

Suffice it to say that he eagerly purchased it, and as quickly formed the resolution to transmit it to the family of Gen. Lafayette, now residing in Paris; pending which transmission, however, the gentleman has brought it to his home, and has consented to its exhibition for a few days at E. A. Tyler's jewelry store, on Canal street.

The watch is open-faced, of gold, with a double case, and may be remarked as of a peculiar appearance, being of only ordinary size, but nearly as thick as it is wide. The outer case bears upon its entire surface carved figures, in bas relief, representing the picture of Mars offering a crown to the Goddess of Peace, who is surrounded by her emblems, while over all appear the stern implements of war, hung high out of reach. On the inner case appears the yet clearly legible inscription:
G. Washington

To Gilbert Mattiers de Lafayette. Lord Cornwallis's Capitulation,

Yorktown,

Deeb'r 17, 1871.
On the covering of the works is seen the maker's name—E. Halifax, London, 1759. One can believe that the sight of this relic, with a host of historical recollections clustering about it, is well fitted to awaken a host of reflections, and carry one's imagination over the bridge of nearly a century, to the time when the two dead and gone hero friends stood side by side carving out their glorious names and fame, which to-day shine through the long vista of years with a lustre that can never fade. New Orleans Times.

ANCESTOR OF THE STOVE-PIPE HAT.— The ancestor from which our present chimneypot hat takes most of its characteristics is the broad brimmed, low crowned hat, with an immense plume falling down on to the shoulder, which was worn during the reign of Charles II. At the end of the seventeenth, and during the eighteenth, century, this hat was varied by the omission of the plume, and by giving f the brim various "cocks." That these "cocks" were formerly merely temporary, is shown by Hogarth's picture of Hudibras beating Sidrophel and his man Whacum, where there is a hat, the brim of which is buttoned up in frout to the crown with three buttons. This would be a hat of the seventeenth century. Afterwards, during the eighteenth century, the brim was bent up in two or three places, and, not-withstanding that these "cocks" became per-manent, yet the hats still retained the marks of their origin in the button and strap on the right side. The cockade, I imagine, took its name from its being a badge worn on one of the "cocks.

The modern cocked-hat, apparently of such an anomalous shape, proves, on examination, to be merely a hat of the shape above referred to; it appears, further, that the right side was bent up at an earlier date than the left, for the hat is not symmetrical, and the "cook" on the right side forms a straight crease in the (quondam) brim, and that on the left is bent rather over the crown, thus making the right side of the hat rather straighter than the left. The hat band here remains in the shape of two gold tassels, which are just visible within the two points of the cocked-hat.

A bishop's hat shows the transition from the three-cocked-hat to our present chimney-pot and because sixty years ago beaver-fur was the fashionable material for hats, we must now needs wear a silken imitation, which could deecive no one into thinking it fur, and which is bad to resist the effects of weather. Even in a ladies' bonnet the elements of brim crown, and hat-band, may be traced. - George H. Darwin in Popular Science Monthly for November.

'GAB.'—We hear people frequently speak of the "gift of the gab," as they are pleased to denominate the habit indulged in by some men who have more brass than brains, and seem to think no assemblage can be properly enlightened without hearing from them.

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